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It restores gray or faded hair to
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It removes all eruptions, itching
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FOR THE WHISKERS.**

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relied on to change the color of the
beard from gray or any other un-
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being in one preparation, and quickly
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I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 17, '74
trains will depart from and arrive at
Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Freight and Accommodation..... 7:00 a.m.

Passenger..... 1:00 p.m.

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger..... 11:30 a.m.

Freight and Accommodation..... 5:45 p.m.

H. C. MOORE,
Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.

G. V. LEWIS,
Gen'l Freight & Tick' Ag't,
Tuscola.

S. NEWELL,
Agent, Decatur.

C. H. BROWN,
Local Fr't & Tk' Ag't,
Decatur, Ills.

For Particulars, see Advert. in
East, and St. Louis..... 10:45 a.m.

West..... 1:30 p.m.

Chicago, and I. B. & W. 2:00 p.m.

South..... 7:00 p.m.

" North & East of Lafayette..... 7:30 p.m.

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Most perfect Stove in the world for Soft Coal,
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Best cheap Wood Stove.

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Good Cheap Stoves,

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This invaluable Medicine is guaranteed not
to contain a single particle of Muriatic acid, or
any injurious mineral substance, but is

Purely Vegetable.

containing those Southern Roots and Herbs
which an all-wise Providence has placed in
countries where Liver Diseases most pre-
val. It will cure all Diseases caused by de-
rangements of the Liver and Bowels.

Simmons' Liver Regulator,

OR MEDICINE,

In exactly a Family Medicine, and is
being kept ready for immediate use, will
save many an hour of suffering and many a
dollar in time and doctor's bills.

It is well known that this Remedy is still re-
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its virtues from persons of the highest
character and responsibility. Eminent
Physicians commend it as the most Effect-
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FOR Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

Armed with this ANTIDOTE, all climates
and changes of water and food may be faced
without fear of getting sick. It is a remedy in
Malaria, Fever, Bowel Complaints, Restlessness,
Jaundice, Nausea,

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 1 Through Express..... 7:30 a.m.

" 2 Post Express..... 12:20 p.m.

" 11 Accommodation..... 3:10 p.m.

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" 4 Atlantic..... 12:00 a.m.

" 12 Accommodation..... 7:45 p.m.

" 6 "..... 9:00 a.m.

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" 2 Post Express..... 12:25 p.m.

" 13 Accommodation..... 12:30 p.m.

" 5 "..... 6:00 a.m.

GOING WEST:

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HAMMER & MOSSER,
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, Oct. 17.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S. RIDGEWAY,
" " Of Gallatin.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM E. POWELL,
" " Of Kank.
For Congress 11th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
" " Of Douglas.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator,
KILBURN H. ROBY,
" " Of Macon.

For Representatives,
EPHRAIM B. HARROLD,
DR. JOHN H. TYLER,
" " Of DeWitt.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Sheriff,
ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
For Coroner,
M. Y. GIVLER.

In Missouri the campaign is growing hot, and the prospect of overthrowing the Democracy through the people's movement is daily growing better. The Democrats, it will be remembered, invented what is called "the passive policy" and used it in defeating the Republicans three years ago, and now it returns to plague its inventors. The Democrats of Missouri are heartily sick of People's movements, already, but not enough so as they will be after the 3d of November.

The French war office has been collecting statistics upon the comparative losses in battles fought with the old fashioned and improved arms, and strange as it seems, the more perfect and deadly the weapons employed, the less the percentage of deaths. Thus it appears that at the battle of Friedland, over sixty years ago, the French lost 11 per cent, and the Russians 30 per cent; at Moscow, the French 30 per cent, and the Russians 11 per cent; at Waterloo, the French 36 per cent, and the allies 30 per cent. Forty years later, with improved firearms, the French at Magenta lost 7 per cent, and the Austrians the same; at Solferino, the French lost 10 per cent, and the Austrians only 8 per cent. If these figures are correct, the man who adds to the dead nature of the fire arms, is a public benefactor.

A graceful and becoming tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln was that offered by President Grant at the dedication of the monument in Springfield yesterday. The words spoken by the President reflect full as much credit upon him as upon the subject of his eulogy. For Gen. Grant to say of Abraham Lincoln, "In his death the nation lost its greatest hero," to detract nothing from his own fame. (Chicago Tribune)

Pickrell, independent-democratic representative candidate for congress, made his appearance in town last Monday. Now that he is through attending fairs with his shorthorns, he is going around for the purpose of getting votes, if possible. He did not create a very favorable impression on those he came in contact with, so far as regards qualifications to fill the position to which he aspires. At the Tolono convention he said he was surprised at then nominating a man of his ability, and he will be more surprised when he finds out that the voters of his district do not consider him at all competent for a congressman—Tolono Gazette.

The Duke of Edinburgh has become the father of a son by the Princess Alexandra. It is dreadful to think that the laureate may pump up some such verses, in commemoration of this event, as he did at the wedding of the happy parents. If it is hard for him to write poetry of this description, it is harder for the average run of mortals to read what he writes. The only genuine music inspired by the event of Alexandra's boy will probably come from the person most immediately concerned—the boy, of course.

A CLOCK IN CLOCK—In *Les Mondes* recently there was an engraving and description of a clock designed by M. Henri Robert, which consists simply of a transparent glass dial suspended by two cords from points in its border. It has the usual hands, but these are apparently free from any machinery to carry them. If one moves either of the hands and then lets it go, it returns to its former position after a few oscillations. The hands are really moved by mechanism within them by means of which their centre of gravity is continually displaced. The clock is described as a new invention, but we recollect seeing one of similar construction while in Europe in 1872—in Switzerland, if we are not mistaken.

S. NATOR COLISBY's oration was much superior in point of literary merit to his ordinary efforts, if it does not rank as the best production of his life. (Chicago Tribune)

LETTER FROM A GRANGER.

FRIENDS CREEK, Oct. 15.—EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—The battle draws on a pace. I fancy I hear the Cannon's roar and the shriek of the wounded and dying. I tremble with fear that we will be defeated, as we have no artillery while the enemy has Cannon of the largest calibre.

Gen. Pickrell will open the fight with a small battalion of scarred and war-worn veterans who have seen a hundred fights. They are a band of deserters from the old democratic army.

They will be sent forward as the forlorn hope. The General thinks it won't be much loss if they are killed, as they are getting old. But I have not much faith in deserters.

One great drawback to the success in our war on railroads is the high price of corn. If corn was only twenty cents per bushel we could say the railroads were to blame. The only hope we have is to advocate a large increase of greenbacks, making money so plenty that people can get it without work.

Shawnees will be defeated. He won't get 50 democratic votes in the county. We are bound to elect all democrats. A GRANGER

THE WAY TO WIN.

An hour's quiet talk with a luke warm neighbor will do more to arouse him to an earnest support of the Republican party than a dozen stump speeches. Mass meetings impart enthusiasm to organized bodies and keep them active in the good work, but a personal canvass by the right kind of men makes converts and thus adds to the party strength. Every town should have its Republican organizations. Men of character, those who possess the entire confidence of the community, should be the leaders and workers in these organizations. Meetings should be held at least once a week from now until the election. A thorough canvass should be had of the voters in the district. The politics of every man should be known. This can be done by subdivisions small enough to enable those appointed to make a complete personal canvass. The strength of the party should be known. Every vote should be brought out at the polls. Our leaders should work from now until the close of the ballot box as if the success of the party depended on just one vote. This is the way to win great victories. To remain inactive, presuming on the popularity of the ticket or the former strength of the party is to invite defeat.

We cannot give too large a majority; we may through inactivity lack one vote of a triumph. Organization, hard work, devotion to the good cause for which we labor, will crown our efforts with success. The House of Representatives must be kept in loyal hands. To lose control of it is to again expose the life of the nation to the deadly assaults of its enemies. It is the key to the political position and must be held by the friends of freedom and humanity—Exchange

A FORTUNATE CANDIDATE.

From the Taylorville Republican. Asop relates in his fable that, once upon a time, a rat fell into an open cellar, and, after ineffectual attempts to scale the walls, bewailed its fate, considering that death by starvation was inevitable. A rain soon after beginning to fall the misery of the miserable rat was doubled. It now was sure its doom was sealed, for death by drowning was certain. The rain, however, provided a blessing in disguise, for the rat leaped upon a stick of wood which happened to be in the cellar, triumphantly floated to the surface, and thus escaped.

A parallel of this fable is furnished in the case of Mr. J. H. Pickrell, independent candidate for Congress in the Decatur district. Holding office sometimes pays very well, but running for one, without hope of election, rarely does. Mr. Pickrell, however, is simply running, in doing a paying business. He deals extensively in fine stock, and, in making the canvass of his district, is selling bull calves at a thousand dollars a head,—more or less. Thus his candidacy is a good advertisement.

Nevertheless, Mr. Pickrell will be "politically picked down" after he election.

BUSINESS PROSPECTS.

Business in Boston, the Traveler says, is quite good, notwithstanding the crooning about dull times. Nearly all the leading hotels are crowded, some of them having to turn away applicants before midnight, and the great majority of the guests are set's buyers, who visit Boston to replenish stocks for the winter. Overproduction has lowered the price of goods to a figure which our country people are quick to profit by, and the volume of trade is fully as large if not larger, than during the corresponding period of last year, while profits do not aggregate a large sum. Altogether, says the Traveler, a careful review of the situation tends toward dissipating the blues, and gives a good reason for the prediction of a prosperous winter.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 16.—More complete returns from all Legislative Districts in the State show the following result:—Senate—Democrats 23, Republicans 24, Independents 3. Lower House—Democrats 52, Republicans 37, Independents 15. The Democratic majority on the State ticket will probably reach 18,000.

From Warren & Durfee's Advertiser.
REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

For the Month Ending Oct. 15th, 1874.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

Henry B. Durfee and wife to John Delaney, nee qr sec 27, town 17, range 1 east—\$7,000.

Aley Cross to _____, nw qr sw 1/4 sec 17, town 16, range 1 east—\$550.

Walter Turner and wife to Walter F. Cann, nee qr sec 6, town 16, range 1 east—\$600.

Henry Jewett and wife to Thomas W. Cann, west hf qr sec 8, town 16, range 1 east—\$3,000.

Alonzo Pierce and wife to Alfred B. Champion, part lot 6, block 1, S. K. Smith's reserve, Mt. Zion—\$355.

John Delaney and wife to Henry B. Durfee, sw qr nw qr and nw qr sw qr sec 35, town 18, range 3 east—\$2,000.

Marta B. and Calvin Nichols to Alexander C. Traubiger, nee qr sw qr sec 8, town 15, range 3 east—\$1,200.

Jas. Spear and wife to Samuel Leonard, 28 acres in sec 22, town 16, range 1 west—\$900.

Willis D. Bowler and wife to John N. Hill, east hf ne qr and ne qr se 10 sec 9, town 17, range 3 east, and ten acres in sec 34, town 17, range 3 east—\$2,000.

Geo. Forno and wife to Alfred H. Williams, lots 14 and 15, block 7, railroad addition to Maroa—\$1,000.

Elizabeth and Wm. D. Chamberlain and wife to J. H. Chamberlain, east half se qr sec 7, east hf se qr ne qr sec 31, town 16, range 1 east—\$2,500.

Oscar F. Parker and wife to Wm. Hooper, lot 2, block 1, S. K. Smith's reserve, Mt. Zion—\$175.

Eli Ulery to John L. Martin, lot 2, of se qr nw qr sec 11, town 15, range 3 east—\$400.

Goo. M. Cox and wife to Jas. E. Hanks, 26 acres in sec 16, town 16, range 1 east—\$1,000.

Jacob E. Hanks and wife to Joseph S. Woods, sw qr sw 1/4 se qr sec 28, town 16, range 2 east—\$1,000.

Sheridan Walt to L. S. Gahan, lot 12, block 19, Carver's addition—\$150.

Daniel Guiskill to Dewitt C. Leib, w hf sw qr sec 16, town 15, range 4 east—\$240.

Oscar F. Parker and wife to Josiah Brown, undivided 4 lot 1, block "A," Forstmyer's addition—\$120.

D. L. Bunn and wife to Josiah Brown, undivided 4 lot 1, block "A," Forstmyer's addition—\$300.

Eli R. Scott to Francis D. Scott, part ne qr sec 1 and part nw qr sec 4, town 15, range 3 east, and sw qr se qr sec 12, town 18, range 3 east—\$2,000.

George Johnson and wife to John Johnson, 32 acres in sec 18, town 18, range 1 east—\$800.

F. S. Murphy and wife to Jas. C. Campbell, lot 6, blk 3, Southwestern add.—\$2,100.

The Decatur Rolling Mill Co. to R. N. Mills, lot 5, block 2, 1st rolling mill addition—\$180.

John Widick and wife to Zach. Boughn, nw qr sec 27, town 18, range 1 east—\$800.

Alexander C. Corrigan and wife to Jas. C. Hart, lot 28, blk 2, Durfee, Warren & Co. add.—\$1,000.

Joseph King and wife to Henry B. Durfee, undivided 1 nw qr se qr sec 10, town 16, range 2 east, and all of block in se cor said add—\$1,300.

Strander E. Mott and wife to Francis E. McMullen, 9 1/2 acres in sw qr sec 19, town 18, range 4 east—\$2,250.

Joseph C. Tucker and wife to Henry M. Grath, sw qr sw qr section 8, town 17, range 1 east—\$1,400.

Sidney Vest and wife to Albert G. Roberts, 25 5/8 100 acres in sec 3, town 15, range 3 east—\$2,861.

Wm. E. Hill and wife to William Lee, 51 acres in sec 25, town 18, range 1 west—\$1,000.

Thomas C. Sturrett and wife to Peter W. Williams, undivided ne qr sec 11, town 17, range 1 east—\$2,200.

David B. Stockton and wife to J. W. Cutler, wh lf lot 1, of nw qr and nw qr sw qr sec 4, town 15, range 4 east—\$2,200.

Charles F. Emery and wife to Silas M. Adams, nw qr sw qr sec 18, town 18, range 2 east—\$2,000.

Associate Land Co. of Conn., to Chas F. Emery, lot 5, block 17, Maroa—\$110.

Nelson Williams and wife to Sylvester M. Hendricks, part sw qr sec 34, town 17, range 3 east—\$80.

John G. Park and wife to Wm. Bash, 10 1/2 acres on north side of lot 3, block 1, Gibb's addition—\$1,300.

Ind. Harris Jr., and wife to Chas Fromm, lot 10, block 3, 1st rolling mill add.—\$165.

The Decatur Rolling Mill Co. to Charles Fromm, lot 7, block 8, 1st rolling mill addition—\$135.

Jacob Deadorff and wife to William H. Browne, lots 13 and 14, block 6, Smith & Co.'s addition—\$1,000.

Wayne Downing and wife to W. Steinbach, 50x150 feet in lot 4, block 8, Peter & Adamson's addition—\$300.

Daniel W. Bremerman and wife to John Elkin, lot 8, block 4, H. Robinson's addition—\$300.

D. W. Bremerman and wife to Samuel A. Heidke, west hf qr sec 18, town 17, range 4 east—\$2,040.

William A. Schafer and wife to John Meister, undivided 1/2 of ne qr sec 7, town 17, range 1 east—\$2,300.

Francis D. Scott and wife to Alexander C. Traubiger, south hf ne qr sec 24, town 15, range 2 east—\$2,000.

Bivans T. Jump and wife to Jason Rogers, ne qr sec 18, town 18, range 2 east—\$800.

Bivans T. Jump and wife to Jason Rogers, 80x100 feet, adjoining town of Maro—\$3,000.

Benj. Payne to Wm. B. Swigert, west hf qr sec 28, town 18, range 2 east—\$2,800.

Lewis C. Ellis and wife to Sidney Vest, 18 acres in sw qr sec 32, town 16, range 3 east—\$3,000.

Nathaniel Harris and wife to James G. Cooper, ne qr sec 21, town 18, range 2 east—\$3,000.

James G. Cooper to Anderson Franklin, south hf qr section 18, town 18, range 3 east—\$4,000.

Nancy A. and John Orr to Nathaniel Harris, nw qr sec 21, town 18, range 3 east—\$4,700.

E. C. Lyman and wife to Cornelius and Alvin Lyons, south hf sw qr and sw qr sec 19, town 18, range 2 east—\$1,507,125.

Wm. Maddox to Jos. Miller, lot 1, of ne qr sec 33, town 18, range 3 east, five acres—\$125.

Wm. H. McArt and wife to Elizabeth Gisinger, 15 acres in se qr sec 5, town 17, range 4 east—\$300.

George Steiner to Ann Shepherd, lot 5, block 1, B. A. Cassell's 3rd add—\$75.

George W. Gideon and wife to Charles Denison, undivided 1/2 of ne qr sec 12, town 18, range 4 east (except 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23) in ne qr sec 13, town 18, range 2 east—\$2,000.

Leonard A. Engle to Aiken Jones, east hf ne qr sec 29, town 18, range 2 east—\$3,000.

Maggie C. Davidson to Sidney Vest, 16 acres in sec 92, town 16, range 3 east—\$300.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

More Figures from Indiana.

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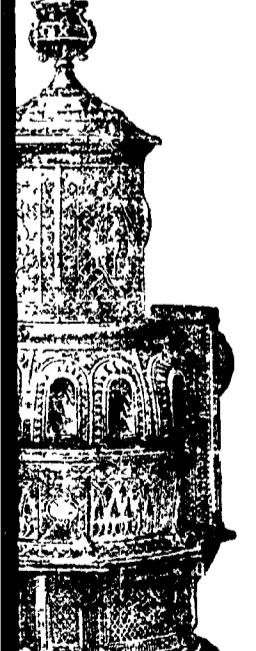
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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Saturday Evening, Oct. 17.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at Twenty Cents per Week.

Local Notice will be inserted at Ten Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would send the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Trade lively to-day.
A cloudless sky this morning.

Crowds of farmers on the streets and in the stores.

County Court holds over into next week.

Go to Niedermeyer's for superb crackers.

Decatur millers are now shipping large quantities of flour in barrels eastward.

Use Mallory's "Diamond Brand" Oysters, for sale at Miller's.

Plenty of hickory nuts are now in the city—for sale at the grocery stores at \$2.00 per bushel.

Diphtheria, which has been very prevalent among the children at Tolono, is now abating. The practice with the physicians has, consequently, been materially lessened.

Religious Services.—Preaching at the First M. E. Church to-morrow at 10 and 7 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Reed.

Subject in the evening, "Our Modern Platitudes." Seats free, and a cordial welcome to all.

Religious Notice.—Rev. Robert Mackenzie having returned from the Synod, will preach in his church to-morrow morning and evening, at the usual hours of service.

Elder N. S. Haynes returned from Kansas yesterday, and will preach at the Christian Church to-morrow morning and evening. The subject of his evening discourse will be, "What will be the difference in the day of judgment between the Christian and the man who has never made a profession of Christianity, yet has lived as well in the eyes of the world."

Winter Opening—Of Fashionable Millinery, Wednesday, Oct. 28th, 1874, at No. 13 North Water street.

17 dñ Mrs. L. A. DUNNING.

D. D. Mallory & Co's Diamond Brand Fresh Oysters, without any doubt, are the best oysters in the market. A full supply always on hand and for sale at MILLER'S.

Seven of the American Turners who assemble nightly over Locke's saloon, are becoming really first-class turners. Three or four of the men here of this organization have no peers in the city.

McCrone is now fully established in his new quarters on South Main street, where he is prepared to serve his customers and the rest of mankind with all kinds of fruit and vegetables, also, poultry, eggs and nice sweet butter.

A flagman at the crossing near the Paris depot is quite necessary. Since the present flagman was stationed at that place he has kept off trains when teams were approaching, and has thus prevented many runaways or accidents.

As smokers, chewers and snufflers, you will find what you are looking for it Andy Kepler's.

About all the old grain has been disposed of to the middlemen who are now preparing to handle large quantities of new grain.

Winter Opening of Fashionable Millinery, at Mrs. L. A. Dunning's, 13 Water street, Wednesday, Oct. 28th, 1874.

17 dñ Mrs. L. A. DUNNING.

Hats, Caps, Gloves and ready-made Clothing—an immense stock, at

13 dñ RACE'S.

Wonderful Pacing Horse.—A man in this city owns a small pacing horse which he avows has no compeer in the whole of the Stacker State. He will not tell what time his horse can make, nor will he make an exhibition of her speed at the county fairs or races for the little \$30 premium offered. However, he offers to bet \$1,000 that she can beat any good horse in Illinois.

Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, just received at S. Einstein's.

10 dñ RACE'S.

The Question Answered—"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur; they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are less in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the Case and Package, which gives them great advantage over small dealers.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, October 17, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel

" White

FLOUR—white wheat, per hundred

" superfine

" middling

JOHN MEAD'S BREAD, per bushel

RYE—per bushel

CORN—per bushel

HAY—Timothy, per ton

OATS—per bushel

PLAXEED—per bushel

COFFEE—per pound

CLOVER SEED—per pound

BLUE GRASS—per pound

HUNGARIAN—per pound

BEANS—per bushel

EGGS—per dozen

LARD—per pound

HAMS—sugar-cured, per pound

SHOULDERs—per pound

CAVALIER—per pound

SHEEF—per pound

POTATOES—per bushel

PEACHES—Dried, per pound

APPLES—per bushel

Wool—Unwashed, light & medium

" heavy fine

" Fleece wash'd, choice

TUBWASHED, choice

HIDES—Green, per pound

" Salted cured

" Dry

DRY FLAT—per pound

COTTON—green, white or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per cent.

BAKERS—Common, per barrel

TALLOW—Cake, per barrel

10 dñ RACE'S.

It is a fact, that many grocers sell Dr. Price's Baking Powder at the same price they do the cheaper kinds, and as they have to pay more for it, make less money, hence they never sell it unless the purchaser demands it. They place it out of sight, and urge their customers to take the common kinds because they are more profitable. Let consumers become acquainted with the fact that it is only necessary to mix one part flour to two parts Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder to make a powder as perfect in its results as other kinds, and there are few who would pay the same price for the adulterated articles as for Dr. Price's, not when flour costs less than six cents per pound. Dr. Price's powder is not sold in bulk.

Persons having occasion to buy groceries will find a full and select stock at the store of Mr. R. E. Reeme, on North Water street, near the railroad crossing. Goods are all first class, and prices as low as at any establishment in the city.

The work of Zack Boughn's new residence, in Waukegan, is now progressing rapidly. The brick work is all done and a considerable portion of the roof has been put on—and the whole house bids fair to be ready for occupation in about a month.

J. Ullrich & Co. have a full line of Java and Rio coffee.

A gentleman from a part of the country where there is an occasional decent house to rent, was greatly amazed yesterday when looking at a house with a view of hiring it, to be told by the proprietor that as he wished to keep the house no boarders must be kept by the occupant of the premises. The house hunter, who had already discovered that the innell was hardly fit for a home, removed to the owner that he had hit his restriction a good one—for the boarder.

A YOUNG HORSE THIEF.
A Boy of 10 years Steals a Horse and Makes Off with it.

This morning at about 10 o'clock Patry Ryan, a boy ten years of age unchristened Mr. J. G. Glantz's horse from the front of his establishment on North Main street and rode rapidly away. He was noticed in the act by one of the stone cutters at Barrett's marble shop, but nothing was thought of it, the supposition in the man's mind being that the boy was sent on an errand with the horse.

About a half hour later Mr. Glantz was ready to go home, and came out to mount his horse, when he found that she was missing. In a hurried and excited manner he inquired of the stone men if they had seen his horse break loose. The cutters then told him a small boy had taken it. Mr. G., in company with a friend, found, by questioning, that the boy had gone in the direction of the rolling mill. They drove fast and finally got a glimpse of Patry, who was displaying the running qualities of his steed with his head set towards the rising sun. Glantz and his friend at last overtook the little thief, brought him up town, and give him into Marshal Haworth's charge. The officer took his prisoner up before Squire Hughes, but noting could be done, as the thief was much too young for the law to reach him.

Patry said that a man told him he might have the horse to ride, and said he didn't mean to steal it. He was impressed with the enormity of the penalty every horse thief must pay, and was allowed to go free. "Tis likely he won't want to get away with another horse soon.

Religious Services.—Preaching at the First M. E. Church to-morrow at 10 and 7 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Reed.

Subject in the evening, "Our Modern Platitudes." Seats free, and a cordial welcome to all.

Religious Notice.—Rev. Robert Mackenzie having returned from the Synod, will preach in his church to-morrow morning and evening, at the usual hours of service.

Elder N. S. Haynes returned from Kansas yesterday, and will preach at the Christian Church to-morrow morning and evening. The subject of his evening discourse will be, "What will be the difference in the day of judgment between the Christian and the man who has never made a profession of Christianity, yet has lived as well in the eyes of the world."

Winter Opening—Of Fashionable Millinery, Wednesday, Oct. 28th, 1874, at No. 13 North Water street.

17 dñ Mrs. L. A. DUNNING.

Christie & Barnes, Gen'l Ins. Agents, represent the old and tried "Lycoming Fire Insurance Co." Solid assets of over \$5,000,000. No advance in rates on account of losses incurred in other cities.

Honest Jurymen.—Several of the honest citizens of the soil have been universally grasped by the Constables and brought to Decatur to serve on the jury at this term of the county court. We are glad to see that the Decatur leaders, who make themselves professional jurymen, are "left" at this term. Many of the former jurors are "squinting" loudly because they are unable to lynch their good crops next season.

Hats, Caps, Gloves and ready-made Clothing—an immense stock, at

13 dñ RACE'S.

Wonderful Pacing Horse.—A man in this city owns a small pacing horse which he avows has no compeer in the whole of the Stacker State. He will not tell what time his horse can make, nor will he make an exhibition of her speed at the county fairs or races for the little \$30 premium offered. However, he offers to bet \$1,000 that she can beat any good horse in Illinois.

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The Improved New Style "DUBUQUE" for 1874, is the best and handsomest self-feeding base-heating stove in the market, and is for sale only by

MORROW & WELLS

Cash Paid for Cast-off Clothing, at No. 3 East Main street, 3rd door east of Water street. Also, cutting, repairing and mending.

Oysters, Oysters!—Fresh and nice, at Imboden's.

13 dñ RACE'S.

Oyster Supper and Promenade Concert.—The ladies of the Episcopal Church will give an oyster supper and promenade concert on Friday evening, Oct. 25th, at the large store in Powers' block, next to the old post-office, thoroughly refitted under his personal supervision and with special reference to his trade, he has stocked it with one of the finest lots of drugs, medicines, perfumery, toilet goods, etc., ever seen in this part of the State. Medicines are compounded and put up by a thoroughly experienced druggist, and everything in connection with his business is done in the best manner. He keeps also a full line of the best cigars to be found in the market.

Books! Books!—And Stationery of every variety, at the book emporium of L. J. Davis & Co.

13 dñ MORROW & WELLS

For Several Years numerous experiments have been making for burning our soft coal successfully in a self-feeding magazine stove, that will require the fire to be built but once during the season, and one in which fire can be kept from ten to thirty-six hours, without replenishing.

Some of these experiments have proven partially successful, but none a perfect success, excepting the invention of the "OMAHA." We notice this stove is for sale by Close & Grindstaff.

If you want a splendid suit, call at

13 dñ RACE'S.

Help for the Hopeless.—You are weak, dejected, miserable, and nothing does you any good, you say. Don't despair. There is help in Gilead. Have you tried Vinegar Bitters? No! Then why don't you? Do not insist that such a thing as a vital elixir is impossible before you have tested the properties of this marvelous Vegetable Restorative. Whether your complaint be dyspepsia, biliousness, nervous weakness, constitutional debility, or any other trouble, Vinegar Bitters will revive and renovate your shattered system, as a genial rain refreshes the withered flowers.

S. Einstein is selling his Cassimeres and Piece Goods cheaper than ever.

16 dñ RACE'S.

J. P. Marsh has just turned out a lot of fine boots made to order, that fit so well that the only wearers can tell whether they have boots on or not is to look at their feet. A few more can be served the same way.

Try that superb Java Coffee, just received by Samuel & Co., at the Rolling Mill Grocery.

17 dñ RACE'S.

St. Einstein is receiving new goods daily.

Wanted, by a gentleman and his wife, one or two large unfurnished rooms, in a quiet and pleasant locality. Inquire at this office.

17 dñ RACE'S.

